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### ***Sequence Listing***

This application contains sequence disclosures that are encompassed by the definitions for nucleotide and/or amino acid sequences set forth in 37 CFR 1.821(a)(1) and (a)(2). However, this application fails to comply with 37 CFR 1.821 *et seq.* for the following reasons, or the reasons stated on the attached Notice To Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures. Sections (c) and (e) of Rule 821 require sequences of four or more amino acids to be (1) listed in a separate sequence listing in the disclosure (see Rules 822 and 823) and (2) accompanied by a computer readable form according to Rule 824. Neither condition has been satisfied.

### ***Conclusion***

Applicant is given ONE MONTH, or THIRTY DAYS, whichever is longer, from the mailing date of this letter within which to comply with the sequence rules, 37 CFR 1.821 *et seq.* Failure to comply with these requirements will result in ABANDONMENT of the application under 37 CFR 1.821(g). Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). In no case may an applicant extend the period for reply beyond the SIX MONTH statutory period. Direct the reply to the undersigned. Applicant is requested to return a copy of the attached Notice to Comply with the reply.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Timothy M. Brown whose telephone number is (571) 272-0773. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm.

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Timothy M. Brown can be reached on (571) 272-0773. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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